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Subject: Wisconsin State Implementation Plan Submittal for Greenhouse Gases

Dear Mr. Czerniak:

On May 4, 2011 Wisconsin DNR submitted a request to US EPA Region V to revise its State Implementation Plan (SIP) to include new permit requirements relating to Greenhouse Gases. That submittal included permanent rules to:

- Define major source thresholds and significant emission increase levels;
- Establish global warming potential factors to be used to calculate emissions on an equivalent and comparable basis.

In that request, new permanent rules specific to implementing greenhouse gas requirements in Wisconsin's Title V permitting program were also present. It was never Wisconsin DNR's intention to have these rules included in its request to revise its SIP. With this letter Wisconsin DNR is requesting to withdraw the rules related to its Title V program from its request to revise the SIP.

Specifically, Wisconsin DNR withdraws the following rules from its May 4, 2011 request:

- NR 407.02 (4) (b) (intro.)
- NR 407.02 (8m)
- Table 3 of NR 407.05
- NR 407.075

Questions regarding this request can be directed to Andrew Stewart of my staff at 608-266-6876 or andrew.stewart@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

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